# **Baptism Of The Lord**

January 11, 2015 "You are my son, the Beloved; with you I am well pleased." - Mark 1.7-11

When there is a funeral at "either" Holy Trinity or St. Joachim's, our regular 12 noon Mass will be cancelled and the Mass intention rescheduled for another day.

#### MASS SCHEDULE THIS WEEK

**MASS INTENTION** MASS NO

January 13 Tuesday **Thursday** January 15 NO **MASS** 

For All Parishioners & Their Intentions 5:30pm Saturday January 17

Sunday January 18 Frank Murphy (A) 9:30am

# **December 20/21 Offertory Collection**

Regular Envelopes	\$1,482.00	
Loose Donations	\$208.20	
Building Fund	\$70.00	
Flowers	\$20.00	
Christmas	\$85.00	
Memorial Tree	\$110.00	
	\$1,975.20	Total

Amount needed to pay only "our regular weekly bills": \$2,500.00 per week Amount needed to "also include" repairs and maintenance: \$3,500.00 per week

# <u>Christmas + December 27/28 Offertory Collection</u>

Regular Envelopes	\$1,047.00	
Loose Donations	\$639.56	
Building Fund	\$300.00	
Christmas	\$1,430.00	
New Year's	\$65.00	
Initial Offering	\$85.00	
	\$3,566.56	Total

# **New Year's + January 3/4 Offertory Collection**

Regular Envelopes	\$225.00	
Loose Donations	\$10.75	
Building Fund	\$35.00	
Christmas	\$20.00	
New Year's	\$180.00	
Initial Offering	\$100.00	
	\$540.75	Total

# **Mass Cancellation**

There will be no noon Mass on Tuesday, January 13<sup>th</sup> or on Thursday, January 15<sup>th</sup>.

# **Adult Religious Education**

Due to the small turnout and a number of scheduling difficulties over the coming months, the Thursday Night Adult Religious Education sessions at Saint Joachim's have been cancelled for the remainder of the winter months. Fr. Stephen hopes to resume classes in the fall.

## **Thanks**

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you so very much for your generosity in providing over 45 families with a Christmas Dinner, Gifts, kindness of CWL, and Aliant Pioneers as well as turkeys from the Charlotte Street Food Bank.

This was the first year that we provided Gift Cards and people were very happy to shop for those food items that were right for their families. Because of your generosity these neighbours of ours were blessed with love and Christmas Joy. Blessings to you and yours for a New Year of Peace and Love.

- Sister Nickerson

### **Parish Renewal Committee Meeting**

The next Holy Trinity Parish Renewal Committee meeting will be on Wednesday, January 14<sup>th</sup>, 7pm, in the parish Family Center. Any other parishioners who are interested in helping the committee members are welcome to attend.

# **Breakfast**

Monthly K of C Breakfast will be held on Sunday, January 11<sup>th</sup>, 9am - 1pm, at the Assumption Center, Chapel Street, in support of the Saint John Milk Fund. Cost: Adults \$7, Children \$3.

#### **Jam Session**

Open Mic Dance every Sunday, 7pm at St. Joachim's Hall, 603 Loch Lomond Road. Admission is \$3. Bring your voice, guitar, or other instrument and take your turn on stage with the house band.

## Card Party

Join us for Saint John's most popular card party, every Thursday from 1pm - 4pm at Saint Joachim's. Meet some new friends and enjoy an afternoon of 45s for only \$3. Everyone is welcome.

# **Blood Donors Needed**

Blood - it's in you to give! Last year in Canada, 1 in 2 people were able to donate blood, but only 1 in 60 actually donated. Please take the time to come and give. Canadian Blood Services are located at 405 University Avenue, and are open Mondays and Thursdays from 4 - 8pm; Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday from 11am - 3pm.

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#### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptisms are celebrated on the first Sunday of the month at 1pm for family members of Holy Trinity Parish and those who are living within the geographical boundaries of our parish. To make arrangements for a baptism please contact the office.

#### SACRAMENT OF PENANCE / RECONCILIATION

Confessions are celebrated on Saturdays after the 5:30pm Mass or by appointment. To schedule a time, please speak with Father Peter.

## **SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE**

To reserve our church for a wedding, couples must first make an appointment with our pastor to discuss their plans and complete the pre-nuptial investigation forms. At least a six month notice and taking a marriage preparation course is a requirement. Because of our pastor's schedule for two parishes, weddings cannot be celebrated any later than 1pm on Saturday.

## SACRAMENT AND MINISTRY TO THE SICK

If there is a family member or relative in the hospital who would like to receive a visit from the pastor, please inform Father Peter. Also, please let Father Peter know if there is someone sick or confined to their home who would like to receive a visit, receive Holy Communion, or be anointed with the Sacrament of the Sick.